

ANNUAL REPORT 2016

GOING FURTHER **TOGETHER**

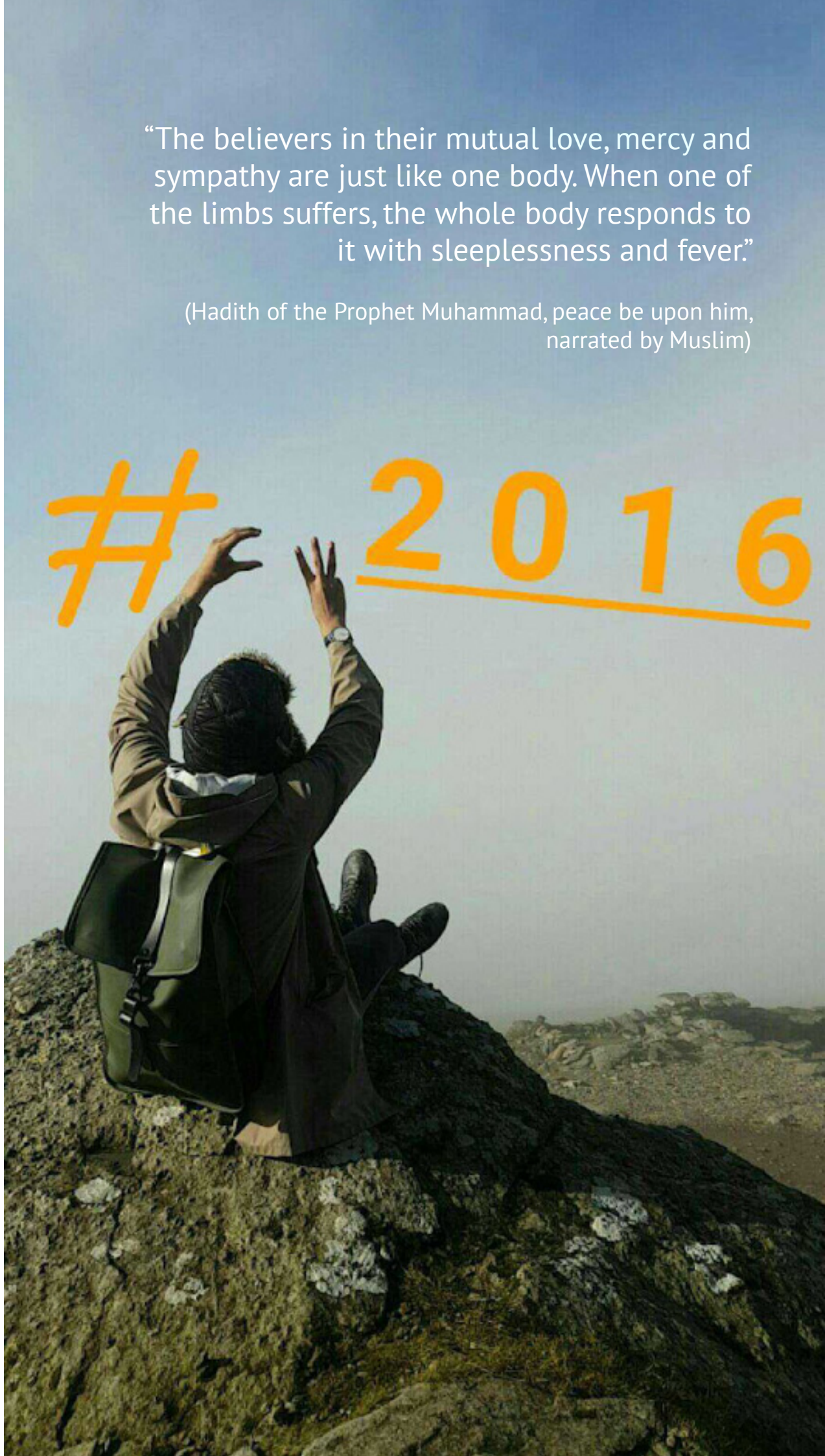
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“The believers in their mutual love, mercy and sympathy are just like one body. When one of the limbs suffers, the whole body responds to it with sleeplessness and fever.”

(Hadith of the Prophet Muhammad, peace be upon him, narrated by Muslim)

2016



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Charity Week for Orphans and Needy Children is a volunteer-run campaign of Islamic Relief.

The ultimate vision of Charity Week is to become a vehicle to inspire Muslim students to become active, socially engaged and united upon Islam.

A SENSE OF MISSION GOES FURTHER THAN AMBITION

A ssalaamu alaikum and welcome to the 2016 Annual Report.

Everyone agrees that this year there was something special in the air. We couldn't quite put our finger on it. Could it be the return of Australia after 9 years? Or was it the inspirational theme of NASA and space? Or maybe it was the restructuring that allowed us to deliver institutional support in a more personalised way?

Perhaps it was all of these or something else.

One thing is for certain though, despite all the changes, we remained committed to our vision of unity more than ever. We saw that in a million different ways throughout the year - and in the record breaking total at the end of the International Annual Dinner in London.

As the rest of the Muslim world collapses ever further into darkness, we pray that we are the stars that will illuminate the darkness and guide our people towards the path of unity.

Six countries, hundreds of institutions, thousands of volunteers and more than a million pounds, dollars, euros and riyals later, *subhanAllah* - we're just getting started.

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PARTICIPATING INSTITUTIONS

AUSTRALIA

University of Technology - Sydney
Macquarie University - Sydney

CANADA

Alberta

University of Alberta
University of Calgary
Mount Royal University

Greater Ontario

Brock University
University of Ontario
Laurentian University
Queens University
Trent University
University of Windsor
University of Western Ontario
Wilfrid Laurier University

Manitoba

University of Winnipeg

New Brunswick

Dalhousie University

Quebec

Champlain College
Concordia University
McGill University
Université de Montréal

Toronto

Islamic Foundation High School
Ryerson University
University of Toronto - Mississauga - Islamic Relief
University of Toronto - Scarborough
University of Toronto - St. George
York University

GERMANY

Berlin
Bielefeld
Bonn
Braunschweig
Bremen
Chemnitz
Frankfurt
Hamburg
Hannover
Hildesheim
Homburg
Koblenz
Köln
Leipzig
Mainz
Mannheim
Stuttgart
Wuppertal

IRELAND

Dublin City University
Muslim National School
North Dublin Muslim National School

QATAR

Texas A&M in Qatar
Carnegie Mellon University in Qatar
Georgetown University - School of Foreign Service in Qatar
College of the North Atlantic Qatar
Virginia Commonwealth University in Qatar
Al Risalah School
Qatar University

UK

London

City University of London
Goldsmiths, University of London
Imperial College London
IQRA Slough Islamic Primary School
Islamia Primary School
King's College London
Leyton College
London Southbank University
Luton Community
Middlesex University
Mulberry School for Girls
Preston Manor School
Queen Mary, University of London
Read Academy
Royal Holloway, University of London
Slough and Eton School
School of Oriental and African Studies
St George's University of London
The London School of Economics
University College London
University of Cambridge
University of East London
University of Essex
University of Hertfordshire

University of Roehampton
University of West London
University of Westminster
Valentines High School
Woodhouse College
Midlands
Al Aqsa School
Al Noor College
Anglia Ruskin University
Avecinna Academy
Beauchamp College
Birchfield
Independent Girls School
Chaiiwala
Chilli Flames
Coventry Muslim School
Coventry University
De Montfort University
Fig Tree Primary School
First Lady Clothing Store
Gateway College
Hamd House School
Jalaliah Educational Institution
Keele University
Leicester Islamic Academy
Nottingham Trent University
Oxford Brookes University
Pioneers Academy
Saints of Mokha
Staffordshire University
The Beauchamp College
UK Tyre Service
University of Leicester
University of Northampton
University of Nottingham
University of Oxford
University of Warwick
Wisdom Academy
Wolverhampton University
Wyggeston and Queen Elizabeth College
North
Afifah High School
Batley/Dewsbury communities
Cardinal Newman College
Durham University
Islamiyah School (Blackburn)
Kassim Darwish

Grammar School For Boys
Liverpool Community
Manchester Islamic High School for Girls
Manchester Metropolitan University
Newcastle University
Northumbria University
Rawdhatul Uloom
Islamic Primary School
University of York
University of Huddersfield
University of Hull
University of Leeds
University of Liverpool
University of Sunderland
York St John University
Scotland
GLASGOW
Al-Furqan Mosque
Bearsden Muslim Association
Community Centre (BMACC)
Strathclyde University
University of the West of Scotland
Glasgow Caledonian University
St Ninian's High School
Bellahouston Academy
All Sainst RC Secondary
All Saints Academy
Williamwood High School
Taylor High School
iSyllabus UK
Young Muslims
Islamic Society of Britain (Glasgow Branch)
Discover Islam
Scotland
Scottish Association of Minority Ethnic Education (SAMEE)
Cumbernauld Mosque
BMACC
Glasgow Central Mosque
Masjid-e-Khazra
Masjid-Al-Furqan
Masjid Noor
Shawlands Social Culture Centre (SSACC)
Youth Community Support Agency (YCSA)
Al Meezan

Muslim Youth League (MYL) Glasgow
The Well Foundation
Minorities Youth Foundation
Andalus
University of Glasgow
University of Strathclyde
EDINBURGH
Heriot-Watt University
Edinburgh Napier University
Queen Margaret University
University of Edinburgh
Edinburgh Central Mosque
Blackhall Mosque
DUNDEE
Abertay University
Al-Maktoum College of Higher Education
Jamia Masjid Tajdar-e-Madina
Future Leaders Academy
University of Dundee
Yusuf Youth Initiative
ABERDEEN
Robert Gordon University
Masjid Alhikmah
Aberdeen Mosque and Islamic Centre (AMIC)
Mary's Meals Society (AUSA)
University of Aberdeen
Yad'am Society (AUSA)
STIRLING
University of Stirling
ST ANDREWS
University of St Andrews
South
1Ummah
Al-Madinah Mosque
Bournemouth University
Falmouth Campus
Fitrah Southampton
Islamic Primary School
Madani Academy
Primary School
Medway University
Plymouth University
Southampton Muslim Youth Campaign
Southampton Solent University
Universities at Medway
University of Brighton
University of Exeter
University of Kent
University of

Portsmouth
University of Reading
University of Southampton
University of Surrey
University of Sussex
Wales & The West
Aberystwyth University
Al-Ashraf Nursery School
Al-Ashraf Primary School
Bangor University
Cardiff Muslim Primary School
Cardiff Metropolitan University
Cardiff University
Swansea University
University of Bath
University of Bristol
University of West England

USA

California

California State Polytechnic University, Pomona
California State University, Northridge
University of California, Berkeley
Illinois
University of Chicago
Loyola University Chicago

Massachusetts

Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Northeastern University
Tufts University

New York

Queens College
Hunter College
Columbia University
John Jay College of Criminal Justice
New York University
Tandon School of Engineering
The City College of NY
Union College

Texas

Texas A&M University
University of Texas at San Antonio
University of Houston
Southern Methodist University
University of Texas at Dallas
University of Texas at Austin

OUR TRAINING

The training team this year faced a daunting challenge - how do you train teams across the world with radically different levels of experience and very different conditions of operation... and each in a different time zone! This is how we attempted to do so. The ingredients for a training programme are here, the next step will be to formalise it to a greater extent.



ASSEMBLE 1

Training from International Teams to National and Regional Teams
UK - 20th Feb
USA - 5th March in New York
6th March in Texas
Germany - 19th March
Qatar - 9th April
Canada - 7th May
Australia - Online

ASSEMBLE 2

Training from National and Regional Teams to Institutional Teams throughout October in Qatar, Germany, UK, Canada and the US.



PRODUCTIVE MUSLIM SEMINAR: HOW TO BE A PRODUCTIVE MEMBER OF A PRODUCTIVE TEAM

Manchester, Glasgow
Birmingham, London
26th - 29th May



EMAIL LESSONS FROM TRAINING TEAM TO ALL OF CW

Topics to the team included Dawah & Hate Speech, Muhammad Ali; A Timeless Lesson The Butterfly Effect

Charity Week switched from using Skype to GoToMeeting™ to connect teams across the globe

Several Charity Weekers went on Hajj and Umrah this year, including the International Director and the UK National Director



RESOURCE DISTRIBUTION

WHAT DID WE USE TO DELIVER CHARITY WEEK?

Across the world, the Charity Week brand is visible each year through our posters, T-shirts, buckets and pennyboxes. This unity of appearance underpins the unity of purpose. As more countries have become involved, the need to systemise this huge logistical undertaking has increased. We are actively taking steps towards a more sustainable system of distribution for each country.



	UK						CANADA	QATAR	GERMANY	USA	AUSTRALIA
	Midlands	London	South	Wales & The West	North	Scotland					
*BUCKETS	100	0	30	20	0	20	28**	15	37	54	0
*PENNY BOXES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	45	0	0
NATIONAL POSTERS	270	230	130	180	150	140	425	printed on campus	300	200	50
PROJECTS LEAFLETS	8000	7200	4400	5080	3360	2960	890	printed on campus	3000	1970	100
GUIDE-LINES	100	100	50	70	70	40	92	printed on campus	0	57	4
T-SHIRTS	890	860	390	520	610	730	623	203	210	600	50

*Figures reflect new resources purchased to deliver Charity Week 2016 and do not include existing resources that were successfully returned for re-use from the previous year.

**Number of donation boxes purchased for use in 2017

RESOURCE RETURNS

The UK team tracks the number of buckets and pennyboxes returned for re-use next year. This discipline serves to keep costs down. Change from last year are indicated in parentheses.

	London	Scotland	Midlands	North	South	Wales & West
Buckets	84% (+1%)	100% (0%)	57% (-3%)	59% (-33%)	64% (-36%)	94% (+6%)
Pennyboxes	94% (+15%)	100% (0%)	57% (-35%)	46% (-48%)	64% (-36%)	75% (-14%)

AROUND THE **WORLD**

SOME SHORT STORIES FROM CHARITY WEEK ACROSS THE GLOBE

AUSTRALIA

BEST BAKE SALE, EVER

Charity Week launched on the other side of the world and, like everywhere, they were feeling the cake-love. To quote: 'Just to remind everyone, this is our FIRST Charity Week...not bad, eh? We Australians are just naturally talented.'



QATAR

HOME FROM HOME

'SubhanAllah today I met a graduate student who is studying Islamic studies. He had a British accent and I asked him 'where are you from?' just to confirm he was from the UK.

He confirmed that he was. Then I asked him about Charity Week and he said he was part of it in London and he didn't know it was in Qatar as well! It just amazes me how big our Charity Week family is.'

GERMANY

NEVER GIVE UP

Hamburg had planned large-scale events but needed sponsorship. The Hamburg representative decided to visit shop after shop, got rejection after rejection, until one restaurant (which she *almost* didn't even enter): proceeded to hand her €1000 in cash.

This, summed with the other sponsorship money that Hamburg city raised, came to almost as much as the entirety of Germany's sponsorship last year.



CANADA

INFECTIOUS ENERGY

Charity Week Canada kept a running total of their institutions' fundraising. It was impressive to see a school charity club of The Islamic Foundation of Toronto consistently ranked in the top 3 - with kids and staff alike getting stuck in and live tweeting it all.

The hype seemed to get to Calgary Muslim Students' Association especially, they made a video claiming to be the founders of Charity Week and announced a total of '100 thousand million dollars'. Maybe next year folks...

USA

DO YOUR HOMEWORK

A Houston student went to a bakery in town to see if they'd donate any goods for Charity Week. The girl at the counter was a new Muslim who watched the CW trailer and was sold! That bakery usually doesn't give away cupcakes, but the girl convinced her boss to give 16 boxes.

Back on campus, a student shared the CW trailer in class. The professor cancelled the next assignment and the grade is now based on volunteering for Charity Week.

BUDGET & EXPENDITURE

OUR BUDGET IS OUR AMANAH, OUR TRUST

Each country participating in Charity Week is required to submit an accurate budget to help maintain a sensible expenditure for the growing project. Budgets are provided by Islamic Relief offices worldwide and Reach Out To Asia (Qatar). The budget is not taken away from funds raised which allows us to spend 100% on projects helping orphans and needy children.



UK
£ GBP



Canada
\$ CAD



Qatar
QAR



Germany
€ EUR



USA
\$ USD



Australia
\$ AUD

	UK £ GBP	Canada \$ CAD	Qatar QAR	Germany € EUR	USA \$ USD	Australia \$ AUD
RESOURCES	13,969.38	5,785.61	3,458.76	811.13	4,055.96	341.64
TRAVEL	1,255.78	0	0	0	0	0
TRAINING	6,855.95	3,045.32	1,316.00	86.00	61.29	0
REGIONAL EXPENSES	14,507.76	0	0	2,546.93	0	0
MISC	1,071.58	203.87	0	0	31.48	0
TOTAL	36,660.22	9,034.80	4,774.76	3,444.06	4,148.73	341.64

NB Ireland did not officially participate in 2016, but some institutions performed a trial run of Charity Week. €84.37 were spent on T-shirts.

INTERNATIONAL EXPENDITURE

Cumulative total of all National Annual Dinners
and International Annual Dinner **£35,917.82**

Website Domain **£3,536.36**

Speaker Travel **£2,698.97**



70

The number of minutes it took from initial suggestions to getting a final draft of the International Annual Dinner Poster. The Fastest Ever.



31

Number of tickets were sold for the International Annual Dinner within the first two minutes of sales opening



2

Life size cut-outs of Buzz Aldrin on the moon travelled around the UK for Charity Week events throughout the year



24:1

Funds raised to budget spent for Charity Week UK - one of the highest in the Charity sector. The budget is not taken from funds raised



19

The number of buckets out at one time during Glasgow's event, "To Bucketing and Beyond"



2,250

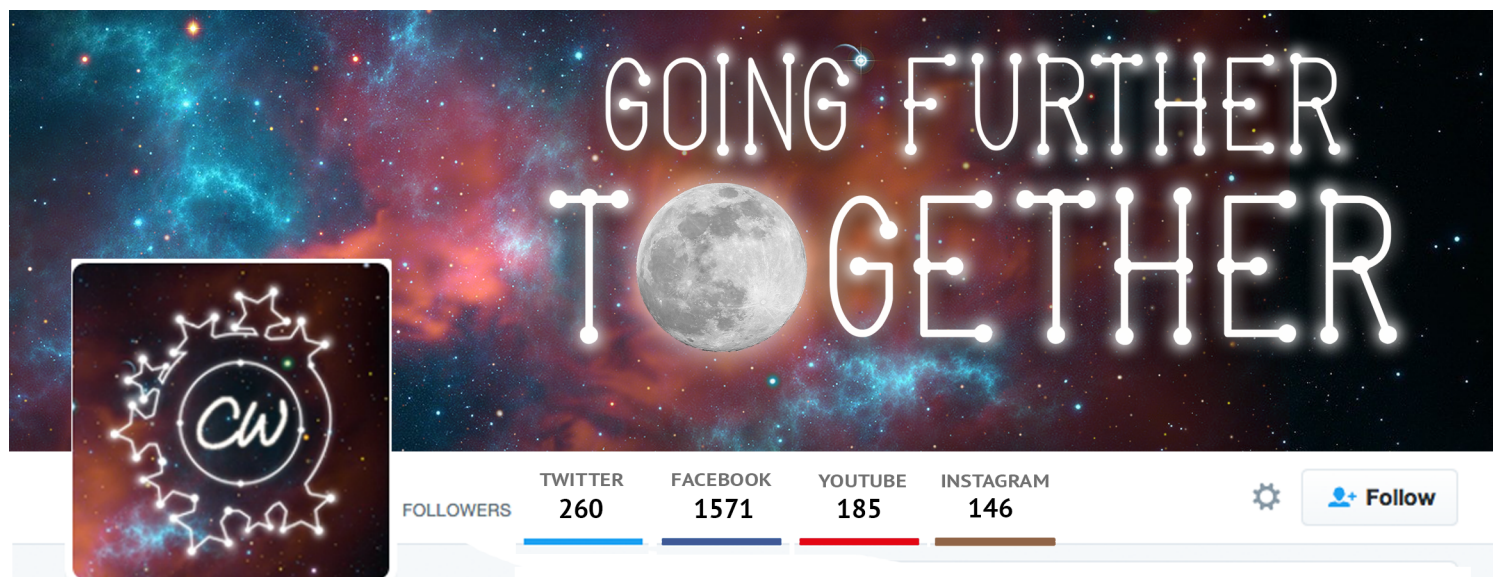
Number of Euros that a single paperclip was sold for in auction for Charity Week in Germany



250

The number of schools in the UK (members of the Association of Muslim Schools) to which calendars were delivered, inviting them to participate in Charity Week

SOCIAL MEDIA



CHARITY WEEK @charityweek

Charity Week is still currently growing our social media presence but it is proving to be slower than expected. Our social media stats reflect this, but it is an opportunity we aim to capitalise on. Our most active social media reaches are Snapchat and Facebook.

This year saw us finally end a five year struggle to gain ownership of www.charityweek.com which was owned by a Middle Eastern Billionaire. After non-stop persistence by the International Director we secured the domain. A new look website was created with the help of Computan from Canada.

Campaigns



One Platform @New for 2016

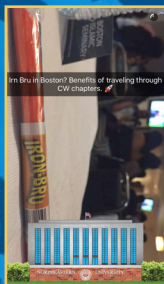
This year, we created @CharityWeek accounts on all platforms to act as the main hub for international social media. Country accounts then feed from these.



Snapchat @Daily Stories

Snapchat was better utilised in 2016 to get a more global feel, with many events being made into daily stories. Watching someone Snapchat from Qatar University followed by an auction in Liverpool and then a cake stall in Texas gave everyone a little taste of the unity we are working towards.

facebook	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
UK	100	974	1760	3063	3990	4868	5534
CANADA	-	-	-	-	638	887	1032
QATAR	-	-	-	-	292	718	891
GERMANY	-	-	-	-	-	872	1208
USA	-	-	-	-	-	566	722
AUSTRALIA	-	-	-	-	-	-	424
CHARITY WEEK	-	-	-	-	-	-	1571
twitter	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
UK	30	260	834	1193	1647	2144	2423
CANADA	-	-	-	-	193	298	361
QATAR	-	-	-	-	-	263	365
GERMANY	-	-	-	-	-	134	204
USA	-	-	-	-	-	383	487
AUSTRALIA	-	-	-	-	-	-	181
CHARITY WEEK	-	-	-	-	-	-	260



SNAPCHAT GEOFILTERS



Snapchat can truly capture the buzz of events as they happen and Charity Week made full use of its international reach with geofilters spreading across the globe.

TV APPEAL

On October 29th 2016, Charity Week had its longest dedicated live TV appeal on Islam Channel. Highlights included videos from projects that Charity Week had helped fund, as well as the Great Charity Week Bake Off finals live on air. King's College London also did their own Charity Week Show to fundraise on Channel 5.

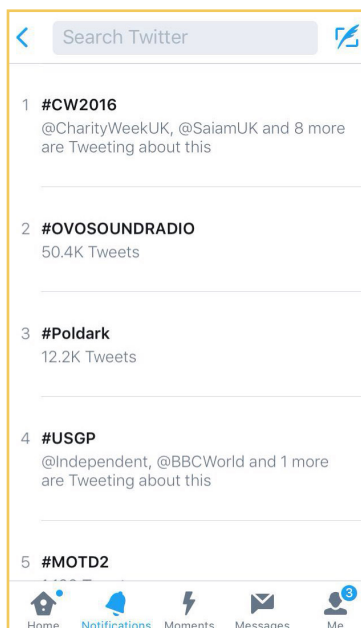


FACEBOOK LIVE



CW2016 saw Charity Week use Facebook live to help even the most distant members of the family get involved. People from across the world were tuning in to auctions in Liverpool and speeches from New York!

TWITTER STORM



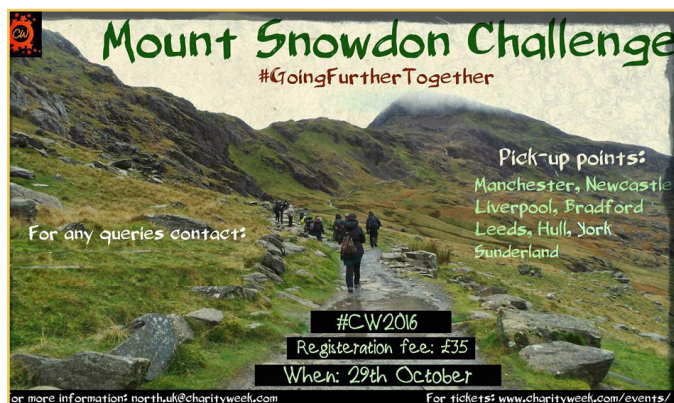
Twitter was a bustling scene of activity throughout Charity Week, culminating on the 24th of October 2016, when #CW2016 was trending across Twitter.





FUNDRAISING & FUN-RAISING

Methods of fundraising across the world varied from traditional cake sales to a travelling smoothie service. Some highlights included The Crepe Shop, a cafe in East London, which devoted a whole wall to creating a space-themed Charity Week mural. Volunteers from across the region visited to leave their mark and enjoy special CW Crepes - with proceeds going to the cause! There were also a remarkable number of sponsored walks, hikes and climbs in areas of spectacular natural beauty.



GRAND TOTAL

£1,080,196.36

\$ 1,764,692.40 CAD

\$ 1,348,895.30 USD

\$ 1,757,404.30 AUD

€ 1,267,599.49 EUR

QAR 4,911,595.78

COUNTRY BREAKDOWNS

When analysing how much money was raised and by whom, it is always important to remember that Charity Week is not about money. It is about unity. We keep saying and truly believe that it is better to raise £1 through unity than a £1 million without it.

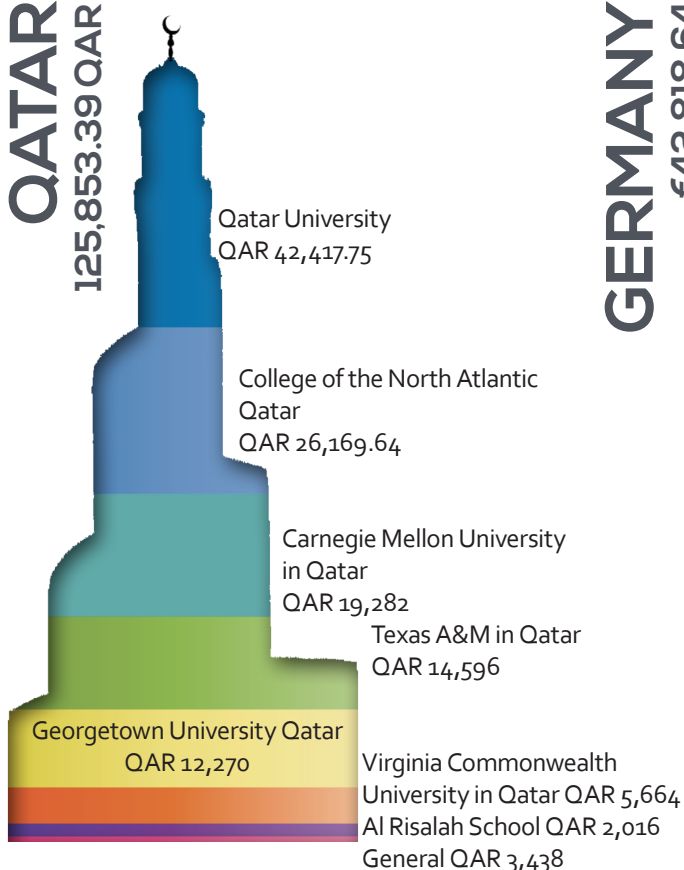
UK TOP 10 INSTITUTIONS

1. University College London £131,337.72
2. King's College London £94,109.29
3. Queen Mary's University of London £62,778.01
4. Imperial College, London £47,842.39
5. University of Liverpool £47,332.69
6. London School of Economics £45,515.96
7. St George's University, London £42,770.22
8. University of Nottingham £23,910.31
9. School of Oriental & African Studies £22,492.88
10. University of Cambridge £17,772.86

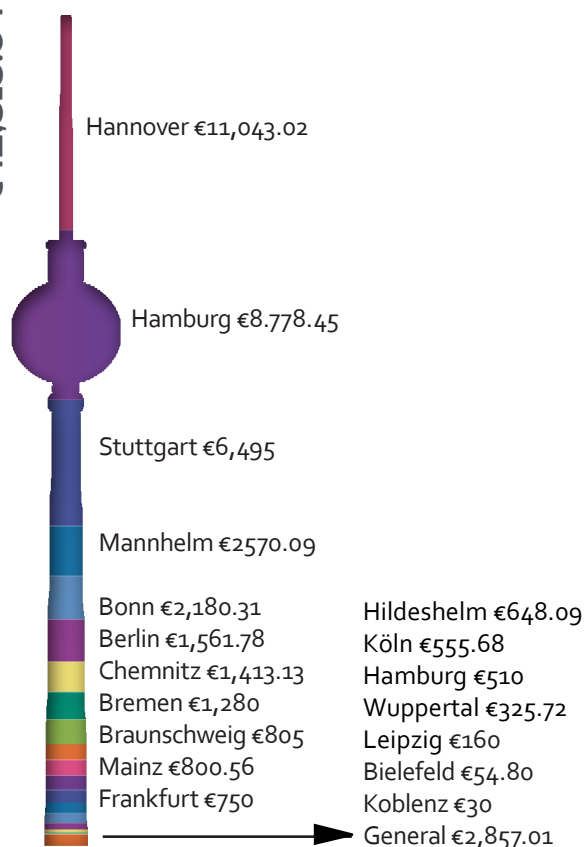
UK
£929,608.42



QATAR
125,853.39 QAR



GERMANY
€42,818.64

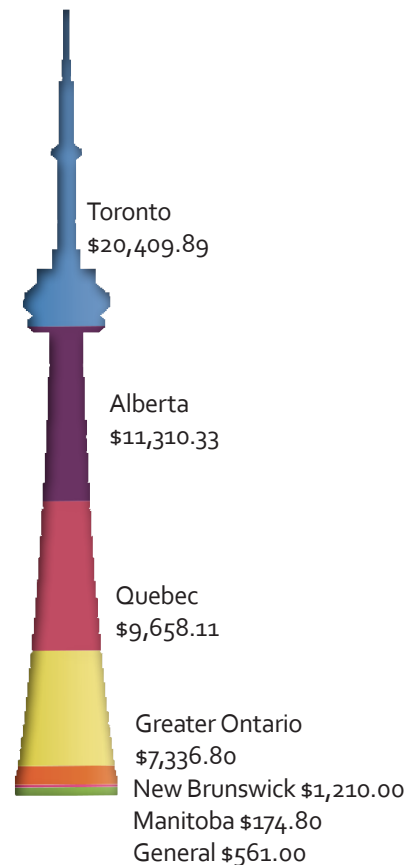


COUNTRY BREAKDOWNS

CANADA TOP 10 INSTITUTIONS

1. University of Calgary \$8,356.00
2. University of Toronto, St George \$5,082.62
3. Islamic Foundation High School \$4,843.10
4. McGill University \$4,580.00
5. Queens University \$3,200.00
6. Champlain College \$3,004.81
7. University of Windsor \$2,291.98
8. Ryerson University \$1,892.00
9. Mount Royal University \$1,716.98
10. Concordia University \$1,602.05

CANADA
\$50,660.93 CAD



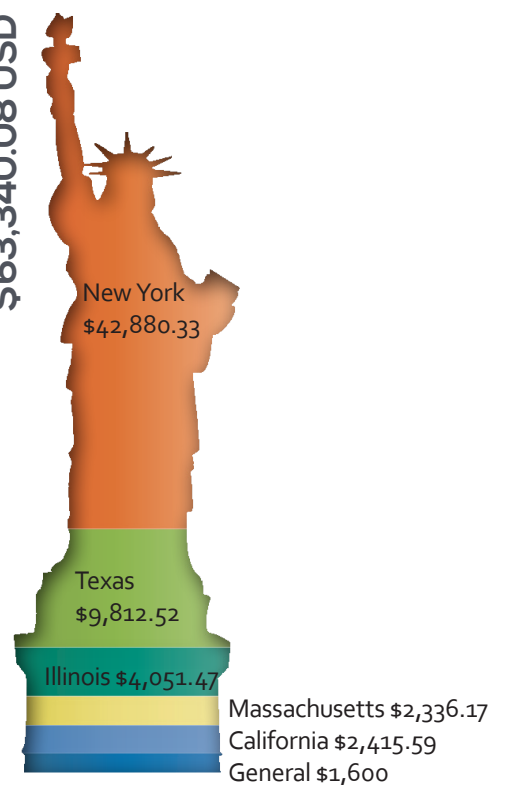
IRELAND

1. Muslim National School €630.00
2. Dublin City University €626.00
3. North Dublin Muslim National School €600

USA TOP 5 INSTITUTIONS

1. Queens College \$15,356.58
2. The City College of New York \$14,101.30
3. Hunter College \$10,188.50
4. University of Houston \$4,360.37
5. Loyola University \$3,124.00

USA
\$63,340.08 USD

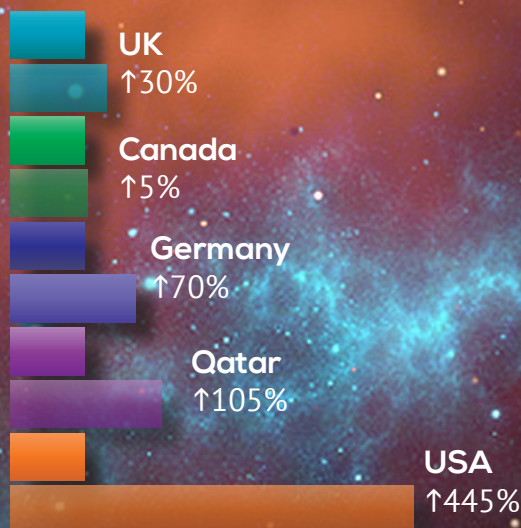


AUSTRALIA
\$5,064 AUD

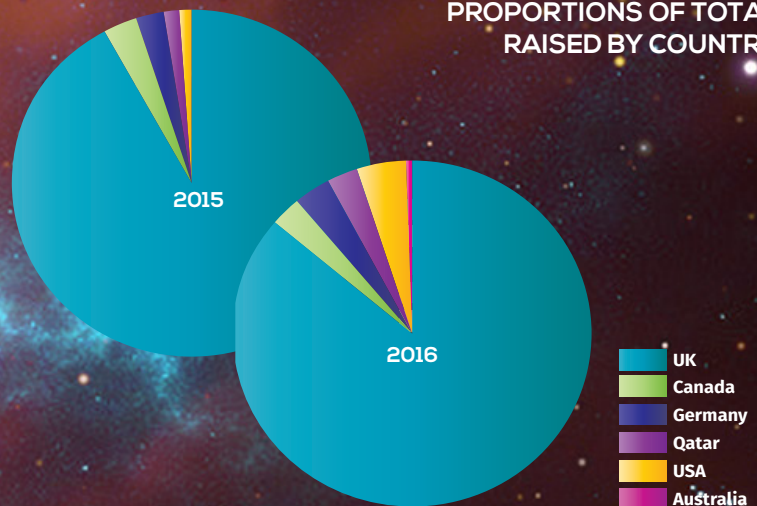


COUNTRY BREAKDOWNS

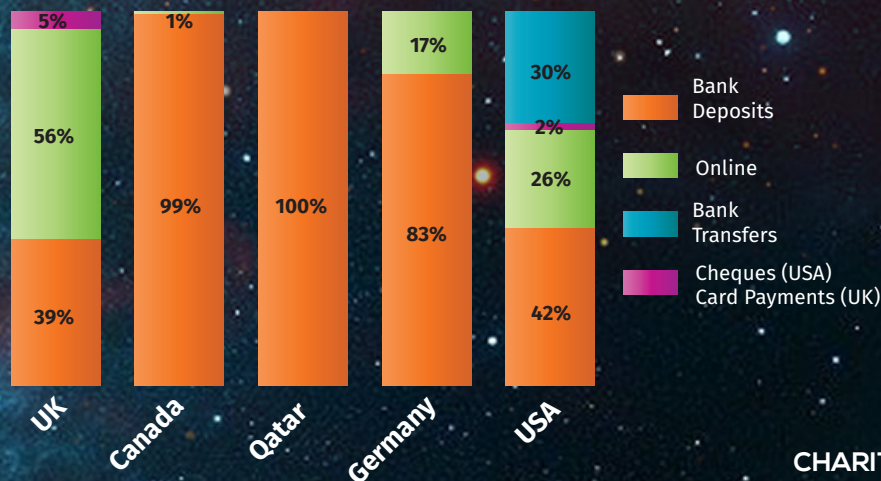
COMPARING 2015 & 2016



PROPORTIONS OF TOTAL RAISED BY COUNTRY

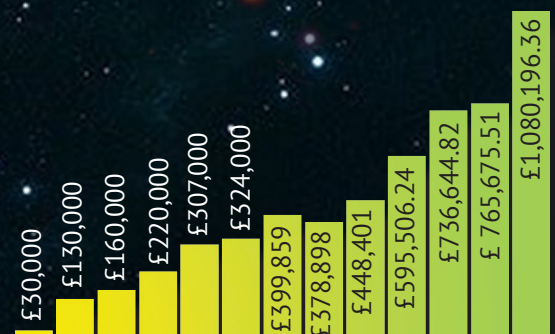


DONATION STREAMS



The process of banking funds raised for Charity Week has become more regulated to avoid discrepancies. It's not easy tracking every penny deposited in hundreds of institutions spread over 6 countries, each with their own banking system. The fact that that we're able to do this, down to accounting for cents and pennies, is a testament to the degree of professionalism rarely seen in a voluntary organisation. This is only possible through uniting together as one team across borders and regions.

CHARITY WEEK TOTALS SINCE 2004



THE GIFT OF UNITY

SOME SHORT STORIES OF HOW WE'VE WORKED TOGETHER

ON THE TRAIN

On the train to the International Annual Dinner (IAD), three UK Midlands CW members had to cut out props for the dinner. They only had two hours or so to cut around 200 prop cards. Between the three of them they made slow progress, but in the last 10 minutes, when a few sheets still remained, their hands were aching. At that point a lady sitting opposite them on the table volunteered to cut the rest out. She had been hearing about the IAD and wanted to finish their work, proving the power of subtle da'wah!

JUMUAH MUBARAK

"After collecting Jumu'ah donations at our local Leicester masjid we were waiting for a taxi back to De Montfort University outside. Just then, the masjid owner came outside and gave the masjid's separate jumu'ah collection to us too! Alhamdulillah. It wasn't even asked for."

A HELPING HAND

King's College London donated on the pages of other competing institutions to motivate and inspire their brothers and sisters - and won the Best Display of Unity in the World award!

QUALITY BRINGS QUANTITY

South Falmouth and Exeter Islamic Societies have such few Muslims that they have a non-Muslim on their committee. They got the whole Student Union on board to help them fundraise for Charity Week 2016.

A TALE OF NEW CITIES

Two students who had nothing to do with Charity Week drove 400km to the Annual Dinner in Germany just to learn more about the growing project. They ended up loving it, inviting some Charity Weekers for tea and coffee afterwards. They're looking to bring Charity Week to their city in 2017...

HOLD ON TIGHT TO THE ROPE OF ALLAH

In 2015, Woodhouse College Islamic Society in North London wanted to take part in Charity Week, but were not permitted by their school. Instead of giving up, the brothers and sisters at Woodhouse did something amazing. They donated £10.

Why did they bother to donate that small amount? They wanted to show that they had tried and would not give up.

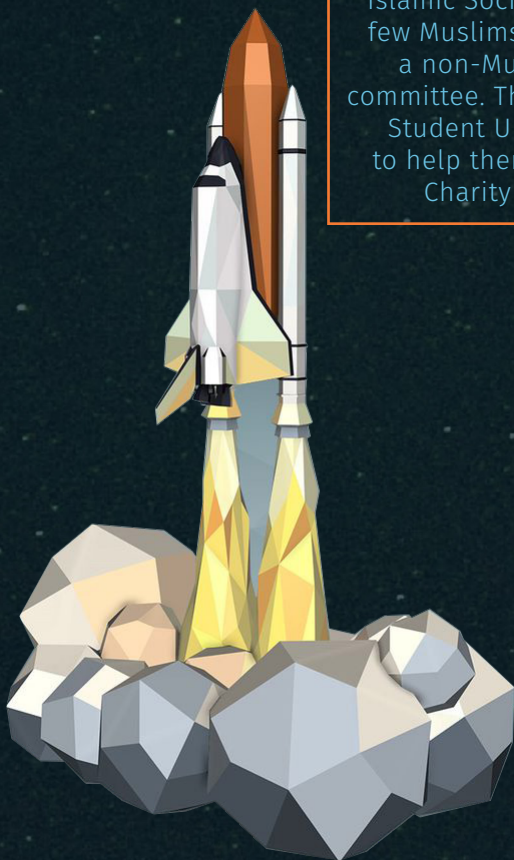
In 2016, the school didn't let them organise anything in the school again, but University College London stepped in and booked a large theatre for them. They raised more than £3000 in that room, including selling a cake for £1000.

MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK

The day before IAD, some members of the London team were packing sweet cones in one corner of London, and others were in the IR office making centrepieces for the dinner. The unity meant they were able to prepare the centrepieces and over 500 sweet cones in a matter of hours!

WE ARE A FORTUNATE PEOPLE

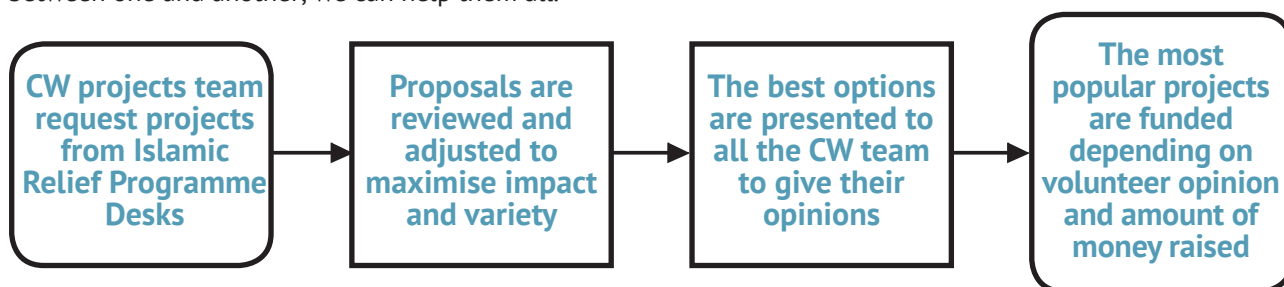
A volunteer climbed a mountain, dedicating it to his cousin who passed away a few weeks before. "She was not fortunate enough to have the chance to take risks and enjoy her life, so I wanted to do this for her. May Allah grant her the highest place in jannah.."



WHERE THE **MONEY** GOES

The process that we go through to fund projects is unique. It aims to find the perfect balance between Emergency projects and Sustainable projects. It aims to set a balance between projects that are in the news and those that are equally deserving, but never make the limelight. We also aim to have a variety of projects with some focusing on healthcare, others on education and still others on providing food and water.

The only way to have to this ideal range of projects funded is through working together. We don't have to choose between one and another; we can help them all.



PROJECT: **SYRIA**

ALEPPO GOVERNATE / IDLIB / HAMA
APPROX. £303,000, HELPING APPROX. 130,000 CHILDREN

The situation of the children of Syria does not need to be explained here. They are in urgent need of emergency healthcare. Islamic Relief is one of the few Muslim charities operating inside and outside Syria all year round. The advantage of uniting together and working pro-actively became apparent with regards to this project. As Aleppo fell and the Muslim world began raising money to help the refugees streaming out and children who were injured - work had already started on seven Charity Week funded Paediatric health centres. These health centres provided medication, free medical care and equipment to help these suffering children.



PROJECT: **BANGLADESH**

KAUNIA UPAZILA, RANGPUR DISTRICT & OTHERS

APPROX £302,000 BENEFITTING APPROXIMATELY 275 ORPHAN CHILDREN & OVER 20,000 NEEDY CHILDREN INDIRECTLY

This innovative project is likely to revolutionise orphan sponsorship. Rather than a traditional handout for life, this project aims to make the orphans and their families self-sufficient within 3-4 years. During this period, the orphan children will get 3 meals a day and enrolment in school. Their families will also get a monthly amount to help them set up an enterprise. The evidence from this project has shown that some orphan families end up employing others!



PROJECT: **PALESTINE**

GAZA & PALESTINIAN REFUGEES

APPROX £203,000

We all know that the siege of Gaza has had a terrible impact on the children there. There is a greater than 60% unemployment rate in these children and many drop out of school as they have little hope of getting a career. This project aims to refurbish the Vocational Training centres, furnishing them with equipment and providing uniforms. This would have been amazing enough, but the project goes one crucial step further. We are creating a unified syllabus and structure of Vocational Training across the whole of Gaza, thereby improving standards and allowing students to transfer between colleges and vocations.

Some of the funds will also go towards a multi-million dollar project aimed at enhancing non-formal education for Palestinian youth. Using sports as a means to motivate often despondent young people, the programme will provide access to a green sports facility with training. There will also be a deepening of the curriculum to link graduates to job opportunities through employability skills and job placement services.



PROJECT: **REFUGEES / FOSTER CHILDREN**

EUROPE / CALAIS / JORDAN / LEBANON
APPROX £142,400

This project aims to help connect unaccompanied child refugees who are currently trapped travelling through Europe with any relatives who live in the UK. Case workers will be present in Europe including Greece and Calais to help identify these children and take up their plight. There are also many Muslim children who are in need of foster care, but there are not enough Muslim families that undertake fostering. This project aims to increase the number of Muslim families that foster through educational events, lectures and leaflets. It also aims to provide Non-Muslim families that are fostering Muslim children with information and support on how to raise these children as Muslims.



PROJECT: **ONE-TO-ONE ORPHAN SPONSORSHIP**

GAZA / PAKISTAN
APPROX £101,000 129 ORPHANS

One of the great things about Charity Week is that we truly focus on what is best for the children we are helping. In 2005 we took on the sponsorship of 110 orphans from the war in Gaza and in 2006 we did the same for 100 orphans from the South East Asia Earthquake in Pakistan. It has been 10 years and although there have been many more tragedies and most people may have forgotten about those tragedies, but we are still sponsoring those orphans. And we will continue to do so until they are on their own two feet. This is the beauty of being part of a sustainable long term project. We are here for the long term inshaAllah. Charity Week remains one of, if not the largest, funder of one-to-one orphans sponsorships in Islamic Relief.



THE FUTURE IS ALREADY HERE WE JUST NEED TO SHARE IT

There is so much that we can learn by looking into space. The planets and the way they rotate, the vastness of universe and the beauty of the constellations. Reflecting on all this makes even the most cynical person understand that they must have been put there for a reason.

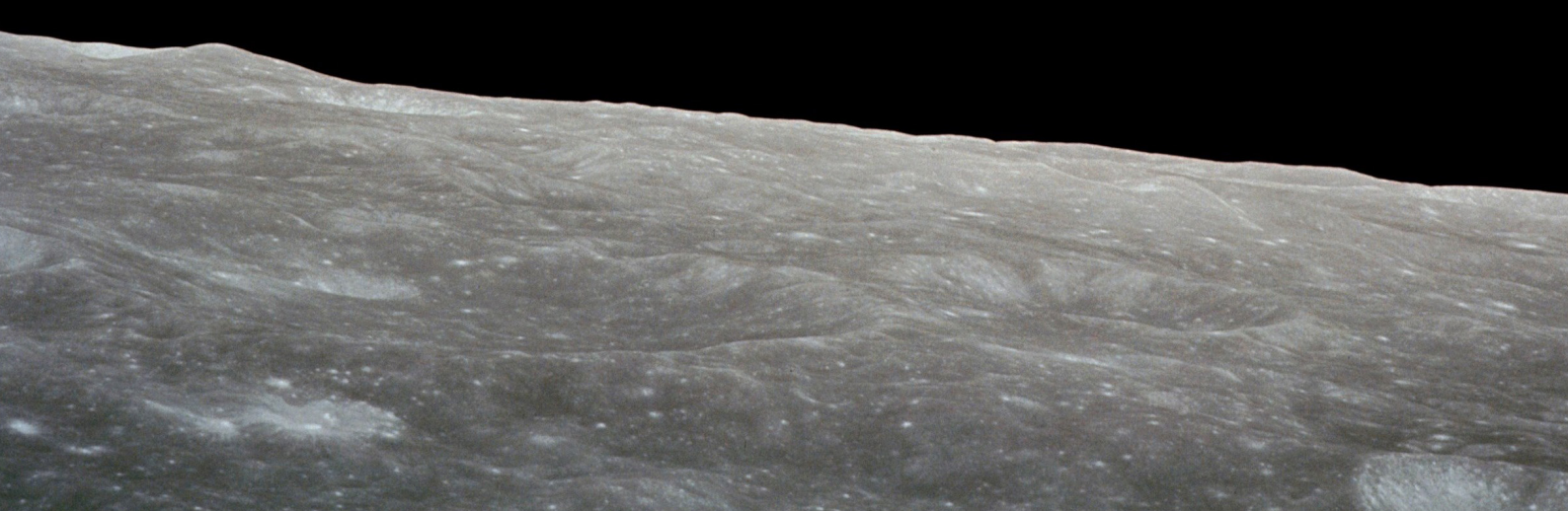
The stars have been put in the sky to light the way during the darkest of nights. In these turbulent times, Charity Week seeks to unite the stars so we can all go further together.

Wassalaamu alaikum wa rahmatullah wa barakatuhu

“And no soul knows what
has been hidden for
them of comfort for eyes
as reward for what they
used to do.”

(Qur'an 32:17)

May Allah accept it from us,
Ameen.





APPENDIX

INSTITUTION / CITY TOTALS

AUSTRALIA

CANADA

GERMANY

IRELAND

QATAR

UNITED KINGDOM

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

AUSTRALIA					
Institution	Deposits	Card Payments	Online	Text Giving	Total
University of Technology, Sydney	\$4,164.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4,164.00
McQuarrie University	\$900.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$900.00
Total	\$5,064.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5,064.00

CANADA					
Institutions	Deposits	Card Payments	Online	Text Giving	Total
Brock University	\$405.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$405.00
Champlain College	\$2,954.81	\$0.00	\$50.00	\$0.00	\$3,004.81
Concordia University	\$1,602.05	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,602.05
Dalhousie University (Islamic Relief)	\$1,200.00	\$0.00	\$10.00	\$0.00	\$1,210.00
Islamic Foundation High School	\$4,693.10	\$0.00	\$150.00	\$0.00	\$4,843.10
Laurentian University	\$344.02	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$344.02
McGill University	\$3,080.00	\$0.00	\$1,500.00	\$0.00	\$4,580.00
Mount Royal University	\$1,626.98	\$0.00	\$90.00	\$0.00	\$1,716.98
Queens University	\$2,460.00	\$0.00	\$740.00	\$0.00	\$3,200.00
Ryerson University	\$1,152.00	\$0.00	\$740.00	\$0.00	\$1,892.00
Trent University	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$5.00	\$0.00	\$105.00
Université de Montréal	\$431.25	\$0.00	\$40.00	\$0.00	\$471.25
University of Alberta	\$1,177.35	\$0.00	\$60.00	\$0.00	\$1,237.35
University of Calgary	\$7,550.00	\$0.00	\$806.00	\$0.00	\$8,356.00
University of Ontario Institute of Technology	\$537.05	\$0.00	\$0.00		\$537.05
University of Toronto - Mississauga - Islamic Relief	\$1,004.60	\$0.00	\$0.00		\$1,004.60
University of Toronto - Scarborough	\$4,147.17	\$0.00	\$2,165.00		\$6,312.17

University of Toronto - St. George	\$4,707.62	\$0.00	\$375.00		\$5,082.62
University of Western	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$190.00		\$190.00
University of Windsor	\$1,833.98	\$0.00	\$458.00		\$2,291.98
University of Winnipeg	\$174.80	\$0.00	\$0.00		\$174.80
Wilfrid Laurier University	\$263.75	\$0.00	\$0.00		\$263.75
York University	\$1,260.40	\$0.00	\$15.00		\$1,275.40
General			\$561.00		\$561.00
Totals	\$42,705.93	\$0.00	\$7,955.00	\$0.00	\$50,660.93

GERMANY					
Cities	Deposits	Card Payments	Online	Text Giving	Total
Berlin	1,516.78 €	0.00 €	45.00 €	0.00 €	1,561.78 €
Bielefeld	0.00 €	0.00 €	54.80 €	0.00 €	54.80 €
Bonn	2,060.31 €	0.00 €	120.00 €	0.00 €	2,180.31 €
Braunschweig	755.00 €	0.00 €	50.00 €	0.00 €	805.00 €
Bremen	1,195.00 €	0.00 €	85.00 €	0.00 €	1,280.00 €
Chemnitz	1,413.13 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	1,413.13 €
Frankfurt	680.00 €	0.00 €	70.00 €	0.00 €	750.00 €
Hamburg	7,541.71 €	0.00 €	1,236.74 €	0.00 €	8,778.45 €
Hanover	8,759.57 €	0.00 €	2,283.45 €	0.00 €	11,043.02 €
Hildesheim	613.09 €	0.00 €	35.00 €	0.00 €	648.09 €
Homburg	510.00 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	510.00 €
Koblenz	0.00 €	0.00 €	30.00 €	0.00 €	30.00 €
Köln	555.68 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	555.68 €
Leipzig	160.00 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	160.00 €
Mainz	800.56 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	800.56 €
Mannheim	2,520.09 €	0.00 €	50.00 €	0.00 €	2,570.09 €
Stuttgart	6,103.00 €	0.00 €	392.00 €	0.00 €	6,495.00 €
Wuppertal	325.72 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	325.72 €
General	137.00 €	0.00 €	2,720.01 €	0.00 €	2,857.01 €
Totals	35,646.64 €	0.00 €	7,172.00 €	0.00 €	42,818.64 €

IRELAND					
Institution	Deposits	Card Payments	Online	Text	Total
Muslim National School	630.00 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	630.00 €
North Dublin Muslim National School	600.00 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	600.00 €
DCU	626.00 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	626.00 €
Total	1,856.00 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	0.00 €	1,856.00 €

QATAR					
Institution	Deposits	Card Payments	Online	Text Giving	Total
Alrisalah School	QAR 2,016.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 2,016.00
CMUQ	QAR 19,282.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 19,282.00
CNAQ	QAR 26,169.64	QAR 0.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 26,169.64
GUQ	QAR 12,270.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 12,270.00
Qatar University	QAR 42,417.75	QAR 0.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 42,417.75
TAMUQ	QAR 14,596.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 14,596.00
VCUQ	QAR 5,664.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 5,664.00
General	QAR 3,438.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 3,438.00
Totals	QAR 125,853.39	QAR 0.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 0.00	QAR 125,853.39

UNITED KINGDOM					
LONDON					
Institution	Deposits	Card Payments	Online	TextGiving + Live Appeal	Total
City University of London	£3,651.31	£162.00	£4,972.41	£0.00	£8,785.72
Goldsmiths University of London	£3,604.27	£0.00	£573.65	£0.00	£4,177.92
Imperial College	£19,689.00	£8,580.00	£19,509.39	£64.00	£47,842.39
IQRA Slough Islamic Primary School	£1,061.54	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£1,061.54
Islamia Primary school	£2,800.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£2,800.00
King's College London	£14,410.15	£0.00	£78,957.14	£7.00 + £735.00	£94,109.29
Leyton College	£563.42	£0.00	£134.39	£0.00	£697.81
London South Bank University	£543.66	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£543.66
Luton Community	£452.59	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£452.59
Middlesex University	£1,640.23	£0.00	£412.36	£0.00	£2,052.59
Mulberry Girls School	£3,010.00	£0.00	£442.67	£0.00	£3,452.67
Preston Manor School	£3,309.74	£0.00	£723.41	£0.00	£4,033.15
Queen Mary, University of London	£19,785.52	£1,280.00	£41,637.49	£45.00 + £30.00	£62,778.01
Read Academy	£2,580.76	£0.00	£474.75	£13.00	£3,068.51
Royal Holloway, University of London	£1,123.20	£0.00	£279.62	£0.00	£1,402.82
Slough and Eton College	£602.99	£0.00	£328.93	£0.00	£931.92
SOAS	£6,387.52	£2,725.00	£13,380.36	£0.00	£22,492.88
St George's University of London	£16,027.50	£3,556.00	£23,152.72	£34.00	£42,770.22
The London School of Economics	£5,933.88	£0.00	£39,577.08	£5.00	£45,515.96
University College London	£34,952.07	£0.00	£95,772.65	£613.00	£131,337.72
University of Cambridge	£9,848.33	£0.00	£7,807.53	£117.00	£17,772.86
university of East London	£940.00	0	£10.32	0	£950.32
University of Essex	£5,046.57	£0.00	£511.81	£0.00	£5,558.38

University of Hertfordshire	£1,349.56	£0.00	£67.11	£0.00	£1,416.67
University of Roehampton	£1,067.27	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£1,067.27
University of West London	£634.43	£0.00	£26.62	£0.00	£661.05
University of Westminster	£96.65	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£96.65
Valentines High School	£546.01	£0.00	£604.94	£0.00	£1,150.95
Woodhouse College	£2,583.18	£505.00	£2,126.66	£0.00	£5,214.84
General	£0.00	£0.00	£7,792.70	£0.00	£7,792.70
Totals	£164,241.35	£16,808.00	£339,276.71	£898.00 + £765.00	£521,989.06

MIDLANDS					
Institutions	Deposits	Card Payments	Online	Text Giving	Total
Al Aqsa School	£1,575.00	£0.00	£632.14	£0.00	£2,207.14
Al Noor College	£263.18	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£263.18
Anglia Ruskin University	£1,174.53	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£1,174.53
Avecinna Academy	£235.54	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£235.54
Birchfield Independent Girls School	£422.54	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£422.54
Chaiiwala	£50.41	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£50.41
Chilli Flames	£56.62	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£56.62
Coventry Muslim School	£155.83	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£155.83
Coventry University	£994.38	£0.00	£734.63	£18.00	£1,747.01
De montfort University	£4,284.41	£0.00	£12,276.71	£12.00	£16,573.12
Fig Tree Primary School	£240.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£240.00
First Lady Clothing store	£3.75	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£3.75
Gateway College	£700.00	£0.00	£51.94	£0.00	£751.94
Jalaliah Educational Institution	£196.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£196.00
Keele University	£3,236.31	£0.00	£10,612.91	£0.00	£13,849.22
Leicester Islamic Academy	£1,282.59	£0.00	£358.30	£0.00	£1,640.89
Nottingham Trent University	£568.68	£0.00	£2,721.30	£4.00	£3,293.98

Oxford Brookes University	£283.35	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£283.35
Pioneers Academy	£309.04	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£309.04
Saints of Mokha	£36.35	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£36.35
Staffordshire University	£376.22	£0.00	£30.00	£0.00	£406.22
The Beauchamp College	£2,152.69	£0.00	£1,907.92	£0.00	£4,060.61
UK Tyre Service	£1.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£1.00
University of Leicester	£2,759.03	£0.00	£9,088.43	£0.00	£11,847.46
University of Northampton	£616.14	£0.00	£419.53	£0.00	£1,035.67
University of Nottingham	£11,107.06	£0.00	£12,803.25	£0.00	£23,910.31
University of Oxford	£2,464.56	£0.00	£1,840.22	£0.00	£4,304.78
University of Warwick	£0.00	£0.00	£5,401.80	£0.00	£5,401.80
Wisdom Academy	£684.07	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£684.07
Wolverhampton University	£2,267.73	£0.00	£10.64	£0.00	£2,278.37
Wyggeston and Queen Elizabeth College	£2,442.27	£0.00	£81.94	£0.00	£2,524.21
General	£4,890.00				£4,890.00
Totals	£45,829.28	£0.00	£58,971.66	£34.00	£104,834.94

NORTH					
Institutions	Deposits	Card Payments	Online	Text Giving	Total
Atifah High School	£2,031.63	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£2,031.63
Batley/Dewsbury communities	£2,182.75	£0.00	£25.10	£0.00	£2,207.85
Cardinal Newman College, Preston	£850.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£850.00
Durham University	£1,755.90	£0.00	£62.26	£5.00	£1,823.16
Islamiyah School, Blackburn	£549.66	£0.00		£0.00	£549.66
Kassim Darwish Grammar School For Boys, Manchester	£624.45	£0.00	£487.60	£0.00	£1,112.05

Liverpool Community	£0.00	£0.00	£26.62	£0.00	£26.62
Manchester Islamic High School for Girls	£11,665.56	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£11,665.56
Manchester Metropolitan University	£4,218.50	£0.00	£1,044.65	£0.00	£5,263.15
Newcastle University	£2,616.28	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£2,616.28
Northumbria University	£295.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£295.00
Rawdhatul Uloom Islamic Primary School	£0.00	£0.00	£100.00	£0.00	£100.00
University of York	£866.96	£0.00	£344.71	£0.00	£1,211.67
University of Huddersfield	£1,283.84	£0.00	£940.89	£0.00	£2,224.73
University of Hull	£2,682.63	£0.00	£2,076.47	£0.00	£4,759.10
University of Leeds	£3,266.85	£0.00	£5,504.06	£0.00	£8,770.91
University of Liverpool	£14,940.61	£0.00	£32,392.08	£0.00	£47,332.69
University of Sunderland	£1,638.74	£0.00	£345.31	£0.00	£1,984.05
York St John University	£450.17	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£450.17
General	£0.00	£0.00	£336.76	£0.00	£0.00
Totals	£51,919.53	£0.00	£43,686.51	£5.00	£95,611.04

SCOTLAND					
Cities	Deposits	Card Payments	Online	Text Giving	Total
Aberdeen	£8,894.70	£7,799.72	£10,252.83	£0.00	£26,947.25
Dundee	£10,511.87	£2,945.00	£3,861.16	£5.00	£17,323.03
Edinburgh	£5,092.61	£5,193.40	£1,164.76	£0.00	£11,450.77
Glasgow	£14,053.75	£10,048.26	£17,804.71	£1.00	£41,907.72
Perth	£0.00	£1,000.00	£829.37	£0.00	£1,829.37
St Andrews	£1,831.21	£0.00	£3,411.90	£8.00	£5,251.11
Stirling	£0.00	£0.00	£2,905.26	£0.00	£2,905.26
General	£2,041.00	£0.00	£1,558.63	£0.00	£3,599.63
Totals	£40,384.14	£26,986.38	£40,229.99	£14.00	£111,214.64

SOUTH					
Institution	Deposits	Card Payments	Online	Text giving	Total
1Ummah	£0.00	£0.00	£172.03	\$0.00	£172.03
Bournemouth university	£1,132.32	£0.00	£70.13	\$0.00	£1,202.45
Falmouth University	£915.46	£0.00	£267.03	\$0.00	£1,182.49
Fitrah Southampton Islamic Primary School	£593.77	£0.00	£0.00	\$0.00	£593.77
Madani Academy Primary School	£362.00	£0.00	£0.00	\$0.00	£362.00
Medway University	£276.89	£0.00	£310.06	\$0.00	£586.95
Plymouth University	£6,364.03	£0.00	£641.97	\$0.00	£7,006.00
Southampton Muslim Youth Campaign	£0.00	£0.00	£465.31	\$0.00	£465.31
Southampton Solent University	£133.93	£0.00	£132.14	\$0.00	£266.07
University of Brighton	£1,585.91	£1,174.50	£980.78	\$0.00	£3,741.19
University of Exeter	£6,061.15	£0.00	£1,003.19	\$0.00	£7,064.34
University of Kent	£1,476.27	£0.00	£2,520.17	\$0.00	£3,996.44
University of Portsmouth	£1,962.88	£0.00	£1,264.66	\$0.00	£3,227.54
University of Reading	£945.76	£0.00	£84.28	\$0.00	£1,030.04
University of Southampton	£6,371.64	£0.00	£627.61	\$0.00	£6,999.25
University of Surrey	£12,183.42	£0.00	£7,596.64	£0.00	£19,780.06
University of Sussex	£2,059.69	£0.00	£171.48	\$0.00	£2,231.17
General	£0.00	£0.00	£550.00	£0.00	£550.00
Totals	£42,425.12	£1,174.50	£16,857.48	£0.00	£60,457.10

WALES AND THE WEST					
Institution	Deposits	Card Payments	Online	Text giving + <i>Live Appeal</i>	Total
Aberystwyth University	£0.00	£0.00	£346.84	£0.00	£346.84
Al Ashraf Nursery School	£255.31	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£255.31
Al Ashraf Primary School	£1,579.34	£0.00	£35.97	£0.00	£1,615.31
Al-Ashraf Secondary School	£0.00	£0.00	£5.32	£0.00	£5.32
Bangor University	£114.33	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£114.33
Cardiff Metropolitan University	£1,489.01	£0.00	£2,702.13	£0.00	£4,191.14
Cardiff Muslim Primary School	£1,200.86	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£1,200.86
Cardiff University	£2,603.58	£0.00	£4,381.19	£0.00	£6,984.77
Swansea University	£2,004.00	£0.00	£54.31	£0.00	£2,058.31
University of Bath	£2,935.69	£0.00	£2,827.35	£37.00	£5,800.04
University of Bristol	£3,554.68	£0.00	£4,200.97	£1.00	£7,756.65
University of West England	£1,875.35	£0.00	£1,092.01	£0.00	£2,967.36
General	£597.40	£0.00	£1,608.00	£0.00	£2,205.40
Totals	£18,209.55	£0.00	£17,254.09	£38.00	£35,501.64

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA					
Institutions	Deposits	Card Payments	Online	Text Giving	Total
Cal Poly Pomona	\$200.00	\$0.00	\$452.00	\$0.00	\$652.00
Cal State Northridge	\$188.89	\$0.00	\$125.00	\$0.00	\$313.89
UC Berkeley	\$1,414.70	\$0.00	\$35.00	\$0.00	\$1,449.70
Loyola University	\$814.00	\$0.00	\$2,310.00	\$0.00	\$3,124.00
UChicago	\$440.47	\$0.00	\$487.00	\$0.00	\$927.47
MIT	\$1,150.17	\$0.00	\$170.00	\$0.00	\$1,320.17
Northeastern University	\$611.00	\$0.00	\$370.00	\$0.00	\$981.00
Tufts University	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$35.00	\$0.00	\$35.00
The City College of NY	\$11,641.30	\$0.00	\$2,460.00	\$0.00	\$14,101.30
Columbia University	\$244.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$244.00
Hunter College	\$6,163.50	\$0.00	\$4,025.00	\$0.00	\$10,188.50
John Jay College	\$261.11	\$0.00	\$136.00	\$0.00	\$397.11
NYU Tandon	\$1,959.16	\$0.00	\$401.00	\$0.00	\$2,360.16
Queens College	\$13,761.58	\$0.00	\$1,595.00	\$0.00	\$15,356.58
Union College	\$159.68	\$0.00	\$317.00	\$0.00	\$476.68
SMU	\$261.75	\$0.00	\$806.00	\$0.00	\$1,067.75
Texas A&M University	\$374.92	\$0.00	\$341.00	\$0.00	\$715.92
University of Houston	\$3,910.37	\$0.00	\$450.00	\$0.00	\$4,360.37
UT Austin	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$896.00	\$0.00	\$896.00
UT Dallas	\$380.00	\$0.00	\$375.00	\$0.00	\$755.00
UT San Antonio	\$1,576.48	\$0.00	\$441.00	\$0.00	\$2,017.48
General	\$1,000.00	\$0.00	\$590.00	\$10.00	\$1,600.00
Total	\$46,269.08	\$0.00	\$16,817.00	\$10.00	\$63,340.08

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